

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena - April 2009

Location	Date/Time	Deaths & Injuries	Property & Crop Dmg	Event Type and Details
ARKANSAS, Central and North Central				
PIKE COUNTY --- ANTOINE [34.03, -93.42]				
	04/02/09 06:38 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/02/09 06:38 CST		0	Source: COOP Observer
HOT SPRING COUNTY --- 2.1 WSW DIAMONDHEAD [34.42, -92.97], 0.8 SE PERLA [34.36, -92.77]				
	04/02/09 07:30 CST		20K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/02/09 07:30 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Power lines were knocked down due to falling trees. Trees were down on Arkansas Highway 171, and power lines were knocked down due to falling trees in Malvern.				
HOT SPRING COUNTY --- BISMARCK [34.32, -93.17]				
	04/02/09 07:30 CST		20K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/02/09 07:30 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Trees downed power lines in Bismarck, and caused damage to a shed and two boats.				
GRANT COUNTY --- 1.1 N TULL [34.47, -92.57]				
	04/02/09 07:35 CST		1K	Lightning
	04/02/09 07:35 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
A tree fell on Arkansas Highway 291 due to lightning.				
DREW COUNTY --- 1.0 NW COLLEGE STATION [33.59, -91.81]				
	04/02/09 08:10 CST		10K	Lightning
	04/02/09 08:10 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
A tree was struck by lightning and transformers were blown at the University of Arkansas at Monticello.				
DREW COUNTY --- 1.0 ENE MONTICELLO MUNI ARPT [33.63, -91.73], 1.1 ESE MONTICELLO MUNI ARPT [33.62, -91.73], 3.3 E MONTICELLO MUNI ARPT [33.63, -91.69], 3.3 ENE MONTICELLO MUNI ARPT [33.65, -91.70]				
	04/02/09 10:15 CST		0	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/02/09 12:00 CST		0	Source: Department of Highways
A forest road was barricaded due to high water.				
GARLAND COUNTY --- LONSDALE [34.54, -92.81]				
	04/02/09 13:45 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/02/09 13:45 CST		0	Source: Public
GRANT COUNTY --- PRATTSVILLE [34.32, -92.55]				
	04/02/09 14:20 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/02/09 14:20 CST		0	Source: Public
PULASKI COUNTY --- 1.0 SW SWEET HOME [34.67, -92.24]				
	04/02/09 14:47 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/02/09 14:47 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
LINCOLN COUNTY --- 1.9 SW LITTLE GARNETT [33.85, -91.82]				
	04/02/09 15:00 CST		25K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/02/09 15:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
A carport was thrown against a trailer, an air conditioning unit was knocked off, and a satellite dish was blown through a wall of a trailer. Also, trees were down in the area.				
A low pressure system approached western Arkansas during the morning of the 2nd, and spread showers and thunderstorms into the area. Some of these storms became severe.				

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(AR-Z003) BOONE, (AR-Z004) MARION, (AR-Z005) BAXTER, (AR-Z006) FULTON, (AR-Z007) SHARP, (AR-Z012) NEWTON, (AR-Z013) SEARCY, (AR-Z014) STONE, (AR-Z015) IZARD, (AR-Z016) INDEPENDENCE, (AR-Z021) JOHNSON, (AR-Z022) POPE, (AR-Z023) VAN BUREN, (AR-Z024) CLEBURNE, (AR-Z030) LOGAN, (AR-Z031) CONWAY, (AR-Z032) FAULKNER, (AR-Z033) WHITE, (AR-Z037) SCOTT, (AR-Z038) YELL, (AR-Z039) PERRY, (AR-Z040) POLK, (AR-Z041) MONTGOMERY, (AR-Z042) GARLAND, (AR-Z043) SALINE, (AR-Z044) PULASKI, (AR-Z045) LONOKE, (AR-Z052) PIKE, (AR-Z053) CLARK, (AR-Z054) HOT SPRING, (AR-Z055) GRANT, (AR-Z056) JEFFERSON, (AR-Z062) DALLAS, (AR-Z063) CLEVELAND, (AR-Z064) LINCOLN, (AR-Z066) OUACHITA, (AR-Z067) CALHOUN, (AR-Z068) BRADLEY, (AR-Z069) DREW				
	04/07/09 02:00 CST		0	Frost/Freeze
	04/07/09 09:00 CST		0	
As high pressure built toward Arkansas, there were fewer clouds in the south and west, and winds were less gusty toward evening statewide. With very dry air in place, temperatures had a chance to fall more readily during the early morning of the 7th.				
PRAIRIE COUNTY --- DES ARC [34.97, -91.50]				
	04/08/09 23:23 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/08/09 23:23 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
POLK COUNTY --- 3.8 WNW MOUNTAIN FORK [34.65, -94.46], 2.5 NNE MOUNTAIN FORK [34.65, -94.38]				
	04/09/09 18:34 CST		0.25M	Tornado (EF1, L: 4.20 mi , W: 800 yd)
	04/09/09 18:41 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
A tornado moved out of Le Flore County, Oklahoma, and entered Polk County, Arkansas, just north of where Oklahoma Highway 63 becomes Arkansas Highway 8 at the state line. A vacation home was destroyed and a 5th-wheel camping trailer was overturned. Hundreds of trees were knocked down in the Ouachita National Forest. Much of the track of the tornado through the forest was inaccessible by road, so aerial imagery from a flyover by the USDA Forest Service was used to determine this portion of the track.				
POLK COUNTY --- 1.0 N MENA [34.59, -94.23]				
	04/09/09 19:00 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 19:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
POLK COUNTY --- 0.4 SSW POTTER [34.54, -94.33], 3.4 NNE INK [34.62, -94.09]				
	04/09/09 19:02 CST	3	0.13B	Tornado (EF3, L: 14.84 mi , W: 1075 yd)
	04/09/09 19:17 CST	30	0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
A tornado began to the west-southwest of Mena, then tracked through the northwest side of Mena. According to the Polk County Judge, 165 houses were destroyed, 701 houses had major damage, and more than 11,000 trees were blown down. The Polk County Courthouse, county jail, Mena City Hall, and the police and fire departments were damaged in downtown Mena, as were several businesses. Mena Middle School, also located downtown, was structurally damaged beyond repair. A nursing home was also damaged. Most of the city lost electricity. The tornado then tracked to the northeast, badly damaging several industrial buildings. There was considerable roof damage at Rich Mountain Community College, and lesser damage to the hospital. As the tornado continued to the northeast, a tractor dealership was destroyed. A number of rural residences and farms were damaged as the tornado moved out into rural Polk County. North of Ink, damage was noted along Polk 74 and Polk 71; these same areas had been damaged by a tornado on October 6, 2008. Three fatalities occurred on the northwest side of Mena. One was a woman at a Masonic Lodge, and the others were a man and woman at separate residences.				
Direct Fatalities: F84PS, M61PH, F67PH				
POLK COUNTY --- 2.0 SE MENA [34.56, -94.21]				
	04/09/09 19:02 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/09/09 19:02 CST		0	Source: Airplane Pilot
POLK COUNTY --- 2.0 SW MENA [34.56, -94.25]				
	04/09/09 19:03 CST		0	Hail (3.00 in)
	04/09/09 19:03 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Apple sized hail fell in southwest Mena.				
JOHNSON COUNTY --- 5.0 N CLARKSVILLE [35.54, -93.47]				
	04/09/09 19:27 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 19:27 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
MONTGOMERY COUNTY --- ODEN [34.62, -93.77]				

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	04/09/09 19:30 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 19:30 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
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BOONE COUNTY --- HARRISON [36.23, -93.12]				
	04/09/09 19:35 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 52 kt)
	04/09/09 19:35 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
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PIKE COUNTY --- 1.7 S GRANDFIELD [34.20, -93.93], 1.9 S NEW HOPE [34.20, -93.88]				
	04/09/09 19:47 CST		50K	Tornado (EF1, L: 2.90 mi , W: 525 yd)
	04/09/09 19:52 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
This tornado moved out of Howard County, and entered Pike County southwest of New Hope. Hundreds of trees were knocked down or snapped off in the forest, primarily on private timber company land.				
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PIKE COUNTY --- KIRBY [34.25, -93.63]				
	04/09/09 19:50 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 19:50 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
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PIKE COUNTY --- 2.2 SE NEW HOPE [34.21, -93.85], 4.1 W DAISY [34.22, -93.80]				
	04/09/09 19:53 CST		25K	Tornado (EF1, L: 2.97 mi , W: 350 yd)
	04/09/09 19:57 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
Trees were knocked down, all of which were on private timber company land.				
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CONWAY COUNTY --- 1.1 NE ADA [35.11, -92.87]				
	04/09/09 20:05 CST		40K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:05 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Trees were down on Ada Valley Road.				
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CONWAY COUNTY --- MORRILTON [35.15, -92.75]				
	04/09/09 20:05 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:05 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
Trees and power poles were down. Metal roofing was removed and a trailer was overturned in Morrilton.				
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GARLAND COUNTY --- 1.0 W CRYSTAL SPGS [34.52, -93.35]				
	04/09/09 20:10 CST		2K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:10 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
A tree was down on U.S. Highway 270 one mile west of Crystal Springs.				
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GARLAND COUNTY --- CRYSTAL SPGS [34.52, -93.33]				
	04/09/09 20:10 CST		2K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:10 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
A tree was down on U.S. Highway 270 in Crystal Springs.				
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POPE COUNTY --- RUSSELLVILLE [35.28, -93.13]				
	04/09/09 20:13 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 56 kt)
	04/09/09 20:13 CST		0	Source: Public
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YELL COUNTY --- DANVILLE [35.05, -93.38]				
	04/09/09 20:17 CST		50K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:17 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Trees were down across the area.				
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MONTGOMERY COUNTY --- 3.5 N WELSH [34.40, -93.46]				
	04/09/09 20:20 CST		15K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:20 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter

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A roof was blown off a house.				
GARLAND COUNTY --- 4.9 S MEYERS [34.40, -93.36]				
	04/09/09 20:22 CST		15K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:22 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
A roof was blown off a house.				
GARLAND COUNTY --- HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE [34.67, -93.00]				
	04/09/09 20:22 CST		0.10M	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:22 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
A communication tower was snapped in half in Hot Springs Village.				
GARLAND COUNTY --- 4.9 S MEYERS [34.40, -93.36]				
	04/09/09 20:27 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 20:27 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
PERRY COUNTY --- 2.0 W PERRY [35.05, -92.84]				
	04/09/09 20:30 CST		25K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:30 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Trees were down across the area.				
GARLAND COUNTY --- PEARCY [34.43, -93.28]				
	04/09/09 20:31 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/09/09 20:31 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
VAN BUREN COUNTY --- 2.0 W CLINTON [35.58, -92.51]				
	04/09/09 20:35 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 52 kt)
	04/09/09 20:35 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Large limbs broke off of trees in the area.				
VAN BUREN COUNTY --- CLINTON [35.58, -92.47]				
	04/09/09 20:38 CST		50K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:38 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Trees and power lines were down across Clinton.				
VAN BUREN COUNTY --- 2.0 N DAMASCUS [35.41, -92.42]				
	04/09/09 20:43 CST		50K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:43 CST		0	Source: Public
Trees were down in the area. A roof was blown off a barn. Siding was damaged on a house.				
FAULKNER COUNTY --- GUY [35.32, -92.33]				
	04/09/09 20:45 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 20:45 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
FAULKNER COUNTY --- GUY [35.32, -92.33]				
	04/09/09 20:45 CST		2K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:45 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
A large tree was down in a yard. Numerous large limbs were down.				
PULASKI COUNTY --- 8.0 W PINNACLE [34.82, -92.61]				
	04/09/09 20:45 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 20:45 CST		0	Source: Broadcast Media

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PULASKI COUNTY --- 3.0 NW GEYER SPGS [34.73, -92.39]				
	04/09/09 20:50 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 20:50 CST		0	Source: Public
FAULKNER COUNTY --- GREENBRIER [35.23, -92.40]				
	04/09/09 20:52 CST		25K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 20:52 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
Trees were down across the area.				
GARLAND COUNTY --- HOT SPGS [34.50, -93.05]				
	04/09/09 20:53 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 20:53 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
GARLAND COUNTY --- 0.8 W DIAMONDHEAD [34.43, -92.96]				
	04/09/09 20:55 CST		0	Funnel Cloud
	04/09/09 20:55 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Police officers observed a funnel cloud over the southwest part of Diamondhead.				
HOT SPRING COUNTY --- DIAMONDHEAD [34.43, -92.93]				
	04/09/09 20:55 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 20:55 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
PULASKI COUNTY --- 10.0 W LITTLE ROCK [34.73, -92.46]				
	04/09/09 20:55 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 20:55 CST		0	Source: Public
FULTON COUNTY --- GEPP [36.38, -92.10]				
	04/09/09 20:58 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/09/09 20:58 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
PULASKI COUNTY --- MACON [34.92, -92.17]				
	04/09/09 20:58 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 20:58 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
STONE COUNTY --- MOUNTAIN VIEW [35.87, -92.12]				
	04/09/09 21:00 CST		60K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
One business had a section of its roof peeled back. A fence around a football field has a 12 foot section blown down. A roof was blown off a dugout at the baseball complex. Twelve trees in the area were blown down. A car dealership had minor damage to their awning.				
CLEBURNE COUNTY --- 0.8 WNW SHILOH [35.53, -92.14]				
	04/09/09 21:02 CST		0.20M	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:02 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
A commercial boat dock was destroyed. A number of boats were under the debris and one boat flipped over in the water at Shiloh Marina.				
CLEBURNE COUNTY --- HEBER SPGS [35.50, -92.03]				
	04/09/09 21:02 CST		35K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:02 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
A tree was down on a roof on Weddingford Road. A pine tree fell in front of a home on West Searcy. A tree was down on the roof of a carport on West Walnut. Several trees were down across the city.				
FAULKNER COUNTY --- CATO [34.93, -92.27]				
	04/09/09 21:02 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/09/09 21:02 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee

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PULASKI COUNTY --- MACON [34.92, -92.17]	04/09/09 21:08 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:08 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee
PULASKI COUNTY --- 2.0 N MACON [34.95, -92.17]	04/09/09 21:09 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:09 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
WHITE COUNTY --- EL PASO [35.12, -92.08]	04/09/09 21:10 CST		10K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:10 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
A roof on a house was damaged in El Paso.				
PULASKI COUNTY --- JACKSONVILLE [34.87, -92.10]	04/09/09 21:12 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:12 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee
IZARD COUNTY --- 3.0 S FRANKLIN [36.13, -91.78]	04/09/09 21:13 CST		10K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:13 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Trees were down across County Road 69. A house lost its shingles.				
IZARD COUNTY --- HORSESHOE BEND [36.22, -91.73]	04/09/09 21:15 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:15 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Tree limbs were down across the area.				
HOT SPRING COUNTY --- JONES MILL [34.43, -92.88]	04/09/09 21:23 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:23 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
PULASKI COUNTY --- (LRF)LITTLE ROCK AFB [34.92, -92.15]	04/09/09 21:23 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:23 CST		0	Source: Other Federal Agency
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- BETHESDA [35.78, -91.78]	04/09/09 21:24 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:24 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
WHITE COUNTY --- BEEBE [35.07, -91.90]	04/09/09 21:24 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:24 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
FULTON COUNTY --- 10.0 S MAMMOTH SPG [36.34, -91.48]	04/09/09 21:25 CST		2K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:25 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
A tree fell across U.S. Highway 63.				
SALINE COUNTY --- 5.0 NW HASKELL [34.55, -92.69]	04/09/09 21:25 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:25 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SHARP COUNTY --- 2.0 S ASH FLAT [36.19, -91.60]				

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	04/09/09 21:26 CST		20K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:26 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
Two houses were damaged in the area.				
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SALINE COUNTY --- HASKELL [34.50, -92.63]				
	04/09/09 21:28 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:28 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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SALINE COUNTY --- 5.0 NW HASKELL [34.55, -92.69]				
	04/09/09 21:30 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:30 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
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VAN BUREN COUNTY --- SOUTHSIDE [35.42, -92.40]				
	04/09/09 21:30 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:30 CST		0	Source: Broadcast Media
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INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- MC HUE [35.68, -91.67]				
	04/09/09 21:31 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:31 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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SALINE COUNTY --- BRYANT [34.60, -92.48]				
	04/09/09 21:31 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:31 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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SALINE COUNTY --- BRYANT [34.60, -92.48]				
	04/09/09 21:32 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:32 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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SALINE COUNTY --- 1.0 S BENTON [34.56, -92.58]				
	04/09/09 21:34 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:34 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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SALINE COUNTY --- 5.0 S BENTON [34.50, -92.58]				
	04/09/09 21:34 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:34 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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SHARP COUNTY --- 6.0 W CAVE CITY [35.94, -91.65]				
	04/09/09 21:34 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/09/09 21:34 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- BATESVILLE [35.77, -91.65]				
	04/09/09 21:35 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:35 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
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INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- BATESVILLE [35.77, -91.65]				
	04/09/09 21:35 CST		0	Thunderstorm Wind (MG 54 kt)
	04/09/09 21:35 CST		0	Source: AWOS
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WHITE COUNTY --- MC RAE [35.12, -91.82]				
	04/09/09 21:35 CST		25K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:35 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
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HOT SPRING COUNTY --- GLEN ROSE [34.46, -92.73]				
	04/09/09 21:38 CST		0	Hail (2.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:38 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

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	04/09/09 21:39 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- SULPHUR ROCK [35.75, -91.50]	04/09/09 21:40 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:40 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SALINE COUNTY --- HASKELL [34.50, -92.63]	04/09/09 21:40 CST		0	Hail (1.50 in)
	04/09/09 21:40 CST		0	Source: Public
SALINE COUNTY --- SARDIS [34.53, -92.40]	04/09/09 21:43 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:43 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SALINE COUNTY --- ALEXANDER [34.62, -92.44]	04/09/09 21:44 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:44 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SALINE COUNTY --- SARDIS [34.53, -92.40]	04/09/09 21:44 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:44 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- 0.6 N CUSHMAN JCT [35.78, -91.68], 1.5 E BATESVILLE [35.77, -91.62]	04/09/09 21:45 CST		0.10M	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:45 CST		0	Source: Newspaper
A tree was down at the corner of 8th and Main Street. A large oak tree was uprooted at a cemetery damaging several headstones. Another tree was down on U.S. Highway 167 near Main Street. Another one had to be cut from across Arkansas Highway 106 on Ruddell Hill. A large cedar tree was uprooted at Boswell St. A large plate glass window was blown out of an antique store on Main St. A large oak tree fell across two vehicles and a porch on Franklin St.				
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- NEWARK [35.70, -91.45]	04/09/09 21:45 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/09/09 21:45 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
PULASKI COUNTY --- MABELVALE [34.65, -92.38]	04/09/09 21:45 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:45 CST		0	Source: Public
SALINE COUNTY --- SARDIS [34.53, -92.40]	04/09/09 21:47 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:47 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
HOT SPRING COUNTY --- GLEN ROSE [34.46, -92.73]	04/09/09 21:48 CST		0	Hail (2.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:48 CST		0	Source: Public
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- NEWARK [35.70, -91.45]	04/09/09 21:48 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/09/09 21:48 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
PULASKI COUNTY --- MAUMELLE [34.87, -92.40]	04/09/09 21:50 CST		50K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		0	Source: Newspaper

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Trees were down over several parts of town. Limbs were severed and roofs were damaged. A vehicle and home were damaged when a pine tree fell over. Several fences in the area were damaged.				
SALINE COUNTY --- 6.0 SE BAUXITE [34.49, -92.43]				
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		0	Hail (1.25 in)
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SHARP COUNTY --- WILLIFORD [36.25, -91.35]				
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
WHITE COUNTY --- BRADFORD [35.42, -91.47]				
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		1K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 21:50 CST		0	Source: Fire Department/Rescue
A tree was down on Steed Road.				
PULASKI COUNTY --- PROTHRO JCT [34.77, -92.20]				
	04/09/09 21:52 CST		0	Hail (1.25 in)
	04/09/09 21:52 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SALINE COUNTY --- EAST END [34.55, -92.35]				
	04/09/09 21:54 CST		0	Hail (1.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:54 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter
PULASKI COUNTY --- 2.0 SW SWEET HOME [34.66, -92.25]				
	04/09/09 21:56 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 21:56 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
SALINE COUNTY --- SHAW [34.50, -92.53]				
	04/09/09 22:02 CST		0	Hail (2.50 in)
	04/09/09 22:02 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
DREW COUNTY --- 2.6 WSW MOUNT TABOR [33.70, -91.66]				
	04/09/09 22:19 CST		60K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
	04/09/09 22:19 CST	1	0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
A mobile home was overturned, injuring one person, and another mobile home was damaged. Approximately 15 large trees were blown down.				
DREW COUNTY --- TILLAR [33.70, -91.45]				
	04/09/09 22:21 CST		25K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 22:21 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Trees were down across the area.				
DESHA COUNTY --- 1.0 S WATSON [33.89, -91.25]				
	04/09/09 22:34 CST		15K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/09/09 22:34 CST		0	Source: Public
A large shed shifted on its foundation. A metal roof on a house sustained damage.				
PRAIRIE COUNTY --- DES ARC [34.97, -91.50]				
	04/09/09 22:34 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/09/09 22:34 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
Low pressure aloft approached from the west and collided with moisture and instability. Thunderstorms developed in eastern Oklahoma during the afternoon, then became more numerous as they entered western Arkansas during the evening. The storms brought a few tornadoes and numerous hailstorms to Arkansas during the evening hours.				

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A tornado (rated EF3) ripped through this residential area, and wrapped metal around an oak tree in Mena (Polk County) on 04/09/2009. Photo courtesy of John Robinson, WCM, WFO Little Rock.

SALINE COUNTY --- HASKELL [34.50, -92.63]

04/12/09 08:29 CST	0	Hail (0.75 in)
04/12/09 08:29 CST	0	Source: NWS Employee

JEFFERSON COUNTY --- REDFIELD [34.43, -92.18]

04/12/09 09:30 CST	0	Hail (0.75 in)
04/12/09 09:30 CST	0	Source: Law Enforcement

JEFFERSON COUNTY --- REDFIELD [34.43, -92.18]

04/12/09 09:38 CST	0	Hail (1.00 in)
04/12/09 09:38 CST	0	Source: Law Enforcement

Rain and embedded thunderstorms built into western Arkansas by dawn on the 12th, then overspread the state as the day progressed. Precipitation was heavy at times. Ahead of the rain area, scattered thunderstorms popped up in the southern half of the state, and a few storms produced hail.

ARKANSAS COUNTY --- 3.0 SE ST CHARLES [34.34, -91.09]

04/19/09 13:35 CST	0	Hail (0.75 in)
04/19/09 13:35 CST	0	Source: Trained Spotter

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Clouds thinned out on the 19th, allowing for some heating. A low pressure system to the west moved over the region, and this provided cold air aloft. Given heating at ground level and cooling overhead, the atmosphere destabilized. Isolated to scattered thunderstorms popped up in the eastern half of Arkansas.				

JOHNSON COUNTY --- 1.3 NE CLARKSVILLE [35.48, -93.45], 2.7 SSE HILLCREST [35.51, -93.41]				
	04/27/09 17:11 CST		50K	Tornado (EF1, L: 3.10 mi , W: 180 yd)
	04/27/09 17:16 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey

A weak tornado tore part of the roof off a house and caused shingle damage to a few additional roofs, blew the roof off a farm shed, took tin off the roofs of two turkey houses and one chicken house, broke off a couple of power poles, and blew down several dozen trees.

The approach of low pressure aloft triggered scattered thunderstorms on the 27th. One of these storms produced an isolated tornado in western Arkansas.

WHITE COUNTY --- ROSE BUD [35.33, -92.08], EL PASO [35.12, -92.08], 10.0 E GRIFFITHVILLE [35.12, -91.47], 10.0 E BRADFORD [35.42, -91.29], 10.0 E PANGBURN [35.43, -91.67], 10.0 E LETONA [35.37, -91.65]				
	04/28/09 05:00 CST		25K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/28/09 06:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Flooding occurred on numerous county roads and on parts of Arkansas Highway 157. A vehicle was stranded on Sears and Roebuck Road south of Higginson.

LONOKE COUNTY --- 1.6 WSW KERR [34.77, -92.10], 0.5 ENE UNION VLY [34.77, -91.99], 1.7 S UNION VLY [34.75, -92.00], 3.0 SW KERR [34.75, -92.11]				
	04/28/09 05:50 CST		5K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/28/09 09:00 CST		0	Source: County Official

Flooding occurred over Arkansas Highway 31. Flooding also occurred on U.S. Highway 70 near Kerr and near Dogwood Road.

CLEBURNE COUNTY --- 2.5 WSW HEBER SPGS RVR ACRS [35.45, -92.01], 2.1 WSW HEBER SPGS RVR ACRS [35.46, -92.00], 2.2 SW HEBER SPGS RVR ACRS [35.45, -92.00], 2.6 WSW HEBER SPGS RVR ACRS [35.45, -92.01]				
	04/28/09 06:00 CST		5K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/28/09 08:30 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Barricades were placed at Arkansas Highway 16 and Blakey Road due to flooding.

JACKSON COUNTY --- 2.7 NNE NEWPORT MUNI ARPT [35.67, -91.16], 1.4 NW REAMEY [35.69, -91.33], 1.7 SSE MACKS [35.60, -91.35], 1.9 SSW ESTICO [35.60, -91.13]				
	04/28/09 06:00 CST		5K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/28/09 09:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Barricades were placed on Arkansas Highway 34 East due to flooding.

INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- 2.2 WSW MOOREFIELD [35.76, -91.61], 0.7 ESE CUSHMAN JCT [35.76, -91.67], 1.0 NNE RUDDLE MILL [35.79, -91.67], 1.3 S PFEIFFER [35.80, -91.58]				
	04/28/09 06:15 CST		75K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/28/09 09:00 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager

Street flooding was reported in Batesville. Water was up to the door handles on cars.

LONOKE COUNTY --- 1.8 NE PARNELL [34.94, -91.98], 1.0 ENE PARNELL [34.93, -91.99], 0.5 WNW OAK GROVE [34.93, -91.94], 0.9 N OAK GROVE [34.94, -91.93]				
	04/28/09 07:15 CST		55K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/28/09 09:00 CST		0	Source: NWS Employee

Portions of Mt. Carmel Road were flooded. Two houses were flooded.

During the wee hours of the 28th, precipitation became widespread across parts of central and northeast Arkansas. Heavy to excessive rain occurred in these areas for several hours as a cold front to the west began to stall.

SCOTT COUNTY --- 1.6 NNW WALDRON MUNI ARPT [34.89, -94.13], 0.8 N WALDRON MUNI ARPT [34.88, -94.12], 2.0 SE WALDRON [34.88, -94.05], 0.9 NE WALDRON [34.91, -94.07], 1.3 SSE EVENING SHADE [34.91, -94.12]				
	04/29/09 19:30 CST		5K	Flash Flood (due to Heavy Rain)
	04/29/09 20:00 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement

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Street flooding occurred in the city of Waldron.				
BAXTER COUNTY --- NORFORK [36.20, -92.28]				
	04/29/09 20:30 CST		20K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 61 kt)
	04/29/09 20:30 CST		0	Source: Broadcast Media
Trees were down and the awning was blown down at a gas station.				
INDEPENDENCE COUNTY --- 1.5 ESE ELMO [35.61, -91.38], 1.8 ESE ELMO [35.61, -91.37]				
	04/30/09 15:13 CST		0	Tornado (EF0, L: 0.40 mi , W: 24 yd)
	04/30/09 15:14 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
A tornado moved across open, plowed farm fields. There were several witnesses to the tornado. The tornado entered Jackson County just southwest of Macks.				
JACKSON COUNTY --- 0.8 S MACKS [35.61, -91.37], 0.8 SSE MACKS [35.61, -91.36]				
	04/30/09 15:14 CST		1K	Tornado (EF0, L: 0.15 mi , W: 24 yd)
	04/30/09 15:15 CST		0	Source: NWS Storm Survey
The tornado from Independence County moved into Jackson County, southwest of Macks. The tornado knocked down a power pole and then moved across an open, plowed field before lifting.				
JACKSON COUNTY --- 1.4 WNW NEWPORT [35.61, -91.29]				
	04/30/09 15:17 CST		0	Funnel Cloud
	04/30/09 15:17 CST		0	Source: Public
The tornado that occurred in the Macks area then lifted, becoming a funnel cloud. The funnel was photographed just west of Newport.				
JACKSON COUNTY --- DIAZ [35.63, -91.27]				
	04/30/09 15:25 CST		5K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/30/09 15:25 CST		0	Source: Amateur Radio
Power lines were down in Diaz.				
JACKSON COUNTY --- GRUBBS [35.65, -91.07]				
	04/30/09 15:38 CST		25K	Thunderstorm Wind (EG 50 kt)
	04/30/09 15:38 CST		0	Source: Emergency Manager
Three homes had roof damage and tree limbs and power lines were down on the southeast side of Grubbs.				
LONOKE COUNTY --- 3.0 NW CABOT [35.00, -92.06]				
	04/30/09 16:15 CST		0	Hail (0.88 in)
	04/30/09 16:15 CST		0	Source: Public
WHITE COUNTY --- 6.0 SE WORDEN [35.22, -91.42]				
	04/30/09 16:40 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/30/09 16:40 CST		0	Source: Public
Penny size hail occurred in the Hurricane Lake Wildlife Management Area.				
PERRY COUNTY --- 5.0 SE PERRYVILLE [34.95, -92.74]				
	04/30/09 17:45 CST		0	Hail (0.75 in)
	04/30/09 17:45 CST		0	Source: Law Enforcement
PULASKI COUNTY --- 5.0 NW MACON [34.97, -92.23]				
	04/30/09 18:14 CST		0	Hail (1.00 in)
	04/30/09 18:14 CST		0	Source: Trained Spotter

On the 29th and 30th, a front was nearly stationary near the Arkansas/Missouri border. Thunderstorms built into the western part of Arkansas on the afternoon and evening of the 29th. During the early morning hours of the 30th, a cluster of thunderstorms approached Arkansas from the west. Although these storms died out, they left behind an area of low pressure aloft. This low pressure then caused the development of new storms during the afternoon and evening.

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A funnel cloud was photographed west of Newport (Jackson County) during the afternoon of 04/30/2009. The photo is courtesy of Lane Parks.